

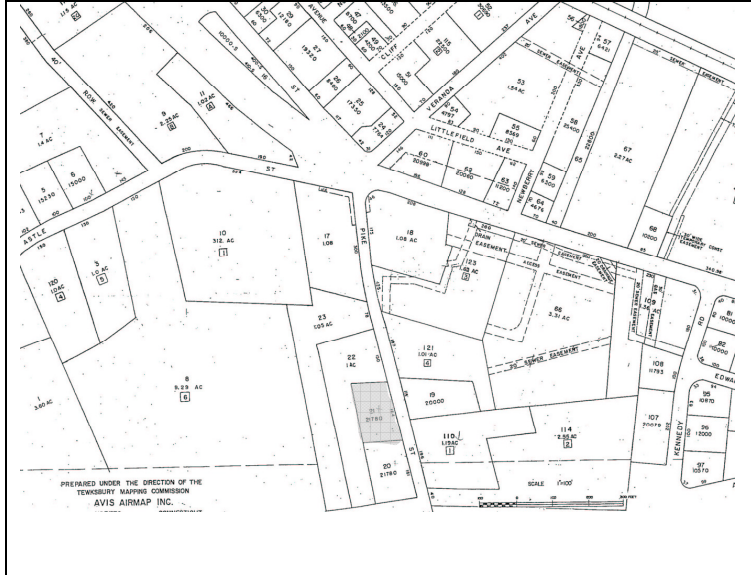
# FORM B – BUILDING

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220 MORRISSEY BOULEVARD  
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02125

## Photograph



## Topographic or Assessor's Map



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Assessor's Number USGS Quad Area(s) Form Number

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**Town:** Tewksbury

**Place:** (*neighborhood or village*)  
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**Address:** 53 Pike Street

**Historic Name:** Taylor & Barker Worker House No.1

**Uses:** Present: Single Family Residential

Original: Single Family Residential

**Date of Construction:** 1880-1889

**Source:** Historic Maps and Deed Research

**Style/Form:** No Style

**Architect/Builder:**

**Exterior Material:**

Foundation: Granite

Wall/Trim: Wood Shingles

Roof: Asphalt Shingles

**Outbuildings/Secondary Structures:**

**Major Alterations** (*with dates*):

**Condition:** Fair

**Moved:** no | X | yes | | **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Acreage:** 0.5 Acres

**Setting:** Located in a formerly rural area that was subdivided and developed by residential construction in the late 20<sup>th</sup> century.

# INVENTORY FORM B CONTINUATION SHEET

TEWKSBURY

53 PIKE STREET

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\_\_\_ Recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

*If checked, you must attach a completed National Register Criteria Statement form.*

*Use as much space as necessary to complete the following entries, allowing text to flow onto additional continuation sheets.*

### ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION:

*Describe architectural features. Evaluate the characteristics of this building in terms of other buildings within the community.*

The one-and-a-half story house at **53 Pike Street** rests on a rectangular granite foundation. The two by two bay dwelling has a one-story rear ell. The front gable roof is sheathed in asphalt shingles. The walls are clad with wood shingles. The front entrance is located on the north side of the east façade and shielded by a projecting one story enclosed porch. One 1/1 replacement sash window is located to the south of the entrance door. Fenestration includes 1/1 replacement sash windows flanked by white shutters. A small one story shed addition is located at the rear of the ell. A narrow brick chimney is located on the south slope of the front gable roof. A one-story porch wraps around the east and south side of the house. A one-story one-car garage is located to the south of the house.

### HISTORICAL NARRATIVE

*Discuss the history of the building. Explain its associations with local (or state) history. Include uses of the building, and the role(s) the owners/occupants played within the community.*

In 1876 Elbridge Livingston sold his house at 22 Astle Street (TEW.XXX) to Thomas C Barker. In 1880 Elbridge sold Barker a parcel of land south of his house on what is now Pike Street, formerly Pleasant Street. A map of 1889 indicates that Barker, a partner in Taylor and Barker Chemical Manufacturing Company off Main Street owned two dwellings (#57 and #53) on Pike Street. In 1906 Taylor and Barker sold the Pike Street dwellings to Thaddeus, Manter & Stella Garland. Manter Garland was a farmer who lived on Astle at the corner of Pike Street. The following year the Garland's sold the dwellings to Ferdinand (Fred) Banville, a machinist, and Banville split the lot retaining his residence at 53 Pike Street and sold the southern half of the premises (57 Pike Street TEW. XXX) to Adelard Dubuque.

According to Assessor's Records the dwellings were built c 1872, but they do not appear on the 1875 map. They were likely built by Barker 1880-1889 probably to rent to workers at his chemical plant. In 1900 Census records two families headed by men who worked at Taylor and Barker Chemical Manufacturing Company were renting on Pike Street near the Sullivan family at 91 Pike Street (TEW.XXX).

Additional owners: Blanche Long & Yvonne Hertenstein, daughters of Ferdinand Banville (1967-1968); and George Perivolotis, the son of Thomas & Mary Paravolotis at 57 Pike Street & George's wife Louisa (1968-2009).

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